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SUBJECT: AMBASSADOR SEELYE'S SOMALI APPOINTMENTS

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WHILE DISCUSSION OF SOMALIA'S ECONOMIC PLANS IN A GENERAL
CONTEXT MIGHT BE USEFUL, WE DO NOT WISH TO ENCOURAGE
SOMALI BELIEF THAT FIRST STEP IN IMPROVED RELATIONSHIP
IS A RENEWED AMERICAN AID PROGRAM. WE WOULD BE PREPARED
TO CONSIDER THE RESUMPTION OF DEVELOPMENT AID IN THE
CONTEXT OF IMPROVING RELATIONS, BUT ONLY AFTER DIRECTION
RELATIONSHIP IS GOING IS CLEAR. WE THEREFORE QUESTION
WHETHER APPOINTMENTS FOR SEELYE WITH THE COORDINATOR OF
FOREIGN AID TO SOMALIA OR THE EXTRAORDINARY COMMISSIONER
OF AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION MIGHT NOT RAISE
UNWARRANTED EXPECTATIONS.
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